

Kia ora

This winter season at Rotorua Museum commemorates World War One with an exhibition of powerful Rotorua stories from the Great War.

Come and explore alternative views of the cities we live in, or join our family Matariki events.



Hercule Taylor, Mounted Rifeman (death), about 1914. Photographs unknown, courtesy of Kay Taylor



9am – 5pm
(MAR – NOV)

OPEN DAILY

9am – 6pm
(DEC – FEB)

Museum Café

Enjoy great coffee and a tasty all-day menu with lovely views over Government Gardens.

Museum Gift Shop

Browse a great range of quality New Zealand crafts, souvenirs and books.

Friends of Rotorua Museum

Become a member of *Friends of Rotorua Museum*, enjoy special openings and talks, and help promote awareness of the Museum. Email: rotorua.museumfriends@gmail.com

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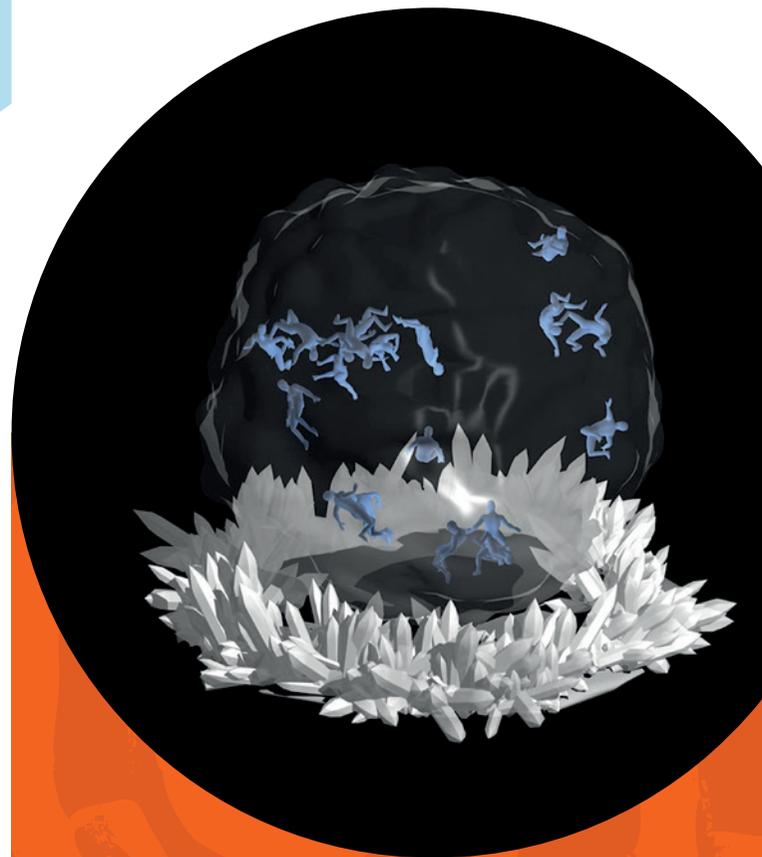
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WHAT'S ON



Gregory Bennett, Dorozeosphere 1 (video still detail), 2013. Courtesy of the artist



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A Continuous Line: The Art of Dennis K. Turner Until 8 June 2014

A large scale retrospective exhibition, curated by historian Richard Wolfe, and toured by the Gus Fisher Gallery.



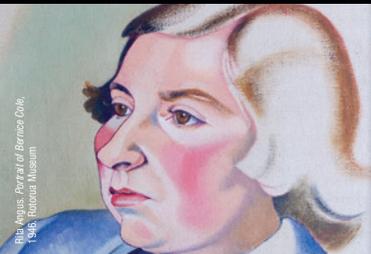
Te Ara: Māori Pathways of Leadership Until 8 June 2014

A photographic survey of Māori leadership. Curated by Paul Tapsell and Merata Kawharu, with photographs by Krzysztof Pfeiffer.

His Own Steam: The Work of Barry Brickell Until 24 August 2014

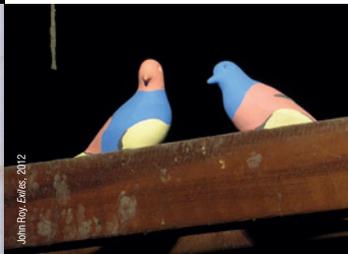
This retrospective exhibition celebrates one of New Zealand's most endearing potters. Famous for his passion for railways and conservation, the exhibition showcases works by Brickell that span over five decades. Toured by The Dowse Art Museum.

Barry Brickell in his studio. Photograph by Haru Sameshima



Mirror Mirror Until 8 June 2014

Portraits from the collection showing the diverse approaches New Zealand artists have taken to portraiture over the years.



Safety in Numbers Until 13 July 2014

Ceramic artist John Roy has created a suite of installations hidden in nooks and crannies throughout the building.

Phantom City 28 June–7 September 2014

A contemporary art exhibition that suggests alternate visions of the future and the past. It sifts through the sheer, overwhelming weight of human history and offers up some curious remnants for visitors to discover.

Peter Gibson-Smith. Monument, 2009-2010. Courtesy of the artist



On the Wing Until 20 July 2014

A special partnership between Rotorua Museum and Wingspan, the National Birds of Prey Centre, saw the first ever urban release of three endangered young kārearea (NZ falcons) earlier this year.

In conjunction with *On the Wing*, winning images from the photographic competition *Capture the Raptor* are on display in the Museum Café until 22 July 2014.

Jill Wong. Watching You, 2014. Falcon Portrait – Public Vote Winner & Supreme Winner



Great War Stories: Rotorua remembers World War One 2 July–2 November 2014

This exhibition tells some of the many powerful and diverse stories from World War One through objects and memories contributed by the Rotorua community.

WWI diary and photograph. Courtesy of Pamela Lovis



Matariki Whānau Night 2013



EVENTS

Safety in Numbers Family Art Trail

Date: Until 13 July 2014
• 9am–5pm
Cost: FREE with admission

Richard Wolfe, art historian, talks about New Zealand portraiture

Date: Thursday 12 June 2014
Drinks from 5pm
Talk starts 6pm
Cost: \$10 Friends of Rotorua Museum, \$15 non-Friends members

Matariki Whānau Night

Date: Saturday 28 June 2014
• 5pm–9.30pm
Cost: \$5 adults, \$3 children (5-15 years), under 5s free
Starlab, Travelling Tuataras, face painting, star gazing, crafts, and café specials.
Book at Rotorua Museum reception in advance.

Top Art

Date: Monday 30 June–Friday 11 July 2014
• 9am–5pm
Cost: FREE with admission
Featuring top secondary school Visual Art portfolios, toured by NZQA.

July School Holiday Drop-in Crafts

Date: Monday 7 July–Friday 18 July 2014
• 10am–3pm
Cost: FREE with admission

Storytime at Rotorua Museum

In conjunction with Rotorua Library
Date: Sunday 13 July 2014
• 10.30am
Cost: FREE with admission

World War One Floor Talk with Chris Rapley

Date: Sunday 20 July 2014
• 2pm
Cost: FREE with admission

Phantom City Interactive Art Space

Date: Every Sunday in August 2014
• 10am–3pm
Cost: FREE with admission

Phantom City Floor Talk with Karl Chitham

Date: Thursday 7 August 2014
• 10am
Cost: FREE with admission

Event times, dates and prices may change. For specific event information, prices and bookings contact Naomi Murgatroyd, email: naomi.murgatroyd@rdc.govt.nz or phone 07 351 8055. For complete details of what's on at Rotorua Museum visit rotoruamuseum.co.nz